by a Decline of the Cent in Prices. Very Light Business in Corn on a Slowly De-

clining Market-Oats Easier and Lower-

Provisions Show a Slight Advance. MONEY, BONDS AND STOCKS. Unusual Activity in New York, with Sigher

Prices for a Majority of Stocks. NEW YORK, Sept. 8-Money on call was easy at 14 per cent. Prime mercantile paper, 619 per cent.

Sterling exchange was dull but steady at \$4.84% for sixty-day bills, and \$4.88 for demand. The total sales of stocks to-day were 107,775 shares, including the following: Delaware, Lackawanna & Western, 8,910; Hocking Valley, 1,600; Lake Shore, 1,661; Missouri Pacific, 1,975; Norfolk

& Western preferred, 1,600; Northern Pacific 2,210; Northern Pacific preferred, 4,350; Ohio & Mississippi, 5,900; Oregon & Transcontinental, 7,455; Reading, 14,600; St. Paul, 4,700; Texas Pacific, 5,600; Union Pacific, 2,645; Western Union, 10,600. The stock market was more than usually active for

Saturday. For the animation displayed there was very little movement or character to the dealings, however, and most of the transactions were made within a range of less than 3g per cent. The tone of the market was firm to strong, but the important movements were all in the low-priced shares, such as Central Pacific, Ohio & Mississippi, and Cotton Oil. Among the rest of the list the best that can be said is that the advances of yesterday were well maintained, and, in most cases, slightly increased. The opening was quiet but firm to strong, with advances over last evening's figures extending to sper cent., but the early dealings showed no animation, except in a few stocks, and while the opening prices were generally exceeded in the first few minutes' trade, the list after that became almost stagnant, although a fair business was transacted during the entire session. The specialties mentioned came to the front one after another, but failed to stimulate any movement in the rest of the list. No feature whatever was developed, and the close was active and firm at about the best prices reached. The final changes, except in Central Pacific, which rose 1's percent, were for fractional amounts only, and somewhat irregular, though advances were in a majority. what irregular, though advances were in a majority.

The character of the bond market was similar to The character of the bond market was similar to that of the share list, though there was more animation, the sales aggregating \$426,000, out of which Texas Pacific incomes contributed \$293,000; Eric seconds, \$101,000, and West Shores, \$100,000. Among the active issues, however, there was the same lack of movement, though the tone was firm throughout. All the movement was in the inactive bonds. The sales of bonds for the week were \$6,727,000, against \$6,549,000 for last week, which contained air business days.

Government bonds dull, but firm to strong.

State bonds entirely neg	dected. Closing quotation
Four per et bonds 128	Kansas & Texas 13
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M., K. & T. gen. 6s. 67-	Norfolk & W. pref 57
M., K. & T. gen. 5s. 6278 Mutur Union 6s 97	Northern Pacific 28
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North Des late 1164	C. & Northw'n pref. 145
North'n Pac. 2ds1124	New York Central 1083
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Oregon & Trans. 6s-102 St. L. & I. M. gen 5s 85	Ohio & Miss. pref 79
St. L. & S. F. gen m1154	Ontario & Western 17
St. Paul consols 125	Ore. Improvement 69
St. P., C. & Pac. 1stal18	Oregon Navigation. 961
Tex. Pacific 1sts 945	Ore. & Transcontin'1 30
Tex. Pacific 2ds 443 Union Pacific 1sts1133	Pacific Mail 37
West Shore 1034	Pittahore 158
Adams Express 145	Pullam Palaca-Car. 1681
Alton & T. Haute 4419	Reading 54
Alton & T. H. pref., 80	Rock Island 112
Alton & T. H. pref., 80 American Express 1094	St. L. & San Fran 32
B. C. R. & N 20	St. L. & S. F. pref. 720
Canada Pacifie 573	St. L. & F. 1st. pref113
Canada Southern 524 Central Pacific 364	St. Paul 72
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C., St. L. & P. pref. 3678
C., S. & C. 63
Clev'ld & Columbus 5934
Delaware & Hudson11919
Del., Lack. & West. 14419
D. & Rio Grande. 1812
East Tenn. pref. 1sts 71
East Tenn. pref. 2d. 2519
Ext. 2935
Erie preferred. 6719
Fort Wayne. 151

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U. S. Express. 78
Wabash, St. L. & P. 1419
W. St. L. & P. pref. 2738
Wells & Fargo Exp. 138
W. U. Tetegraph. 8473
Am. cot.-seed cert'f. 3834
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Erie preferred. 6719
Ontario. 3119
Fort Wayne. 151
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Worth & Denver 231 Quicksilver pref... 3658

The banks now hold \$11,646,625 in excess of the LONDON, Sept. 8 .- Bar silver, 42 5-16d per

NEW YORK, Sept. S .- Bar silver, 921gc.

NEW YORK AND CHICAGO.

Testerday's Quotations on Produce at the Two Great Commercial Centers. NEW YORK, (Sept. 8 .- Flour-Receipts, 25,370 packages; exports, 1,180 brls and 3,540 sacks.

Dull and unchanged. Sales, 15,150 brls. Wheat-Receipts, 154,000 bu; exports, 37,697 bu; 984,000 bu fetures, 78,000 bu spot. Mar ket irregular, 1401ec lower on winter and firmer on spring; light expert demand; No. 2 red, 99@991gc slevator, \$101.01 aflost, \$1.014 @1.024 f. o. b.; To. 3 red, 92@921c; No. 4 red, 94c; ungraded red, 91c3\$1.03; No. 2 Milwaukee, 97@974c; No. 2 Chicago, \$1.01 afloat; No. I hard, \$1.084. Options dull, weak and 40 %c lower; No. 2 red, September, closing at 991sc nominal; October, \$1.005821.0078. closing at \$1.00% November, \$1.01% \$1.02, closing at \$1.02; December, \$1.03@1.034, closing at \$1.0318; May, \$1.075, 21.0778, closing at \$1.0758. Corn. Receipts, 60.950 bu; exports, 19.006 bu; cales, 576.000 bu futures, 164.000 bu spot. Spot market a shade from the state of the state o

sales, 576,000 bu futures, 164,000 bu spot, Spot market a shade stronger, with a good export business and a moderate home trade; No. 2, 55 \$55 \(\frac{1}{2} \) in elevator, 55 \(\frac{1}{2} \) \$55 \(\frac{1}{2} \) a affect; ungraded mixed, 54 \(\frac{1}{2} \) \$54 \(\frac{1}{2} \) No. 2 white, 58 \(\frac{1}{2} \) 0. Options \(\frac{1}{2} \) \$\(\frac{1}{2} \) \(\frac{1}{2} \) declosing at lower and moderately active, closing steady; September, 55 \(\frac{1}{2} \) \$\(\frac{1}

Coffee—Options opened weak at 5@30 points de-line, and closed steady and lower; sales 76,250 bags, religing September, 12@12.10c; October, 11.45@ 1.65c; November, 10.95@11c; December, 10.75@ 10.95c; January, 10.50@10.60c; February, 10.55@ 10.75c; March. 10.40@10.65c; April. 10.45@ 10.65c; May, 10.50@10.55c; August, 10.55@10.60c. Sugar-Raw firm and quiet; refined strong and fairly active. Rice steady and in moderate demand.

Tallow steady; prime city, 53e. Resin neglected; common and good strained, \$1.0212.

Eggs about steady and quiet; Western, 1712319c;

Eggs about steady and quiet; Western, 1742319c; receipts, 6.061 packages.

Pork steady and quiet; old mess nominal; new mess, \$15.50215.75. Out meats, middles firm. Lard—Spot stronger, quiet; Western steam, 10.15c bid. Options higher, quiet; sales September, 10.10c, closing 10.10c bid; October, 9.9129.95c, closing 10c asked; November, 9.27c bid; December, 8.7028.73c, closing 8.72c asked.

Butter firm, fairly active; Western creamery, 1429.23c; Western dairy 12215c. Cheose unsettled, easier, quiet; Western, 742819c.

CHICAGO, Sept. S .- The action of the Minnesota

warehouse commissioners in regard to grades, the fact that some of the heavy traders here took the "bear" side, the fine weather and easier feeling abroad, the heaitation on account of the next government report, all conspired to make a weak market in wheat during the greater part of to-day's session. The rallies were sickly, and caused fresh realizing each time. Exports were light, and the grading of new wheat receipts began to improve. The opening price for December was 13c off, at 93 4c, and the first hour gave that future range from 93 3c 94 7c, from which there was a dragging decline. The market was dull and weak till the close, at 1 c'clock. The lowest point for December was 93 c, and the close was at 93 c, or le under last night. There was a light trade in corn, but the crowd was determined to let the price down slowly. In one sense the decline was a reaction from the bulge yesterday caused by the scramble for cash corn. The closing price was the lowest for the day, and 1 c under last ight. Oats were easier, in sympathy with corn, and colower, with a moderate trade in October futures, but the market was otherwise quiet. Provisions closed at prices little better than last night's quotations, the advance amounting to 74cc on pork, 12cc on lard, and .05.0.10c on ribs. January lard rested where it did yesterday afternoon. The markets were

dull most of the time, with but light business. There 921₈ 933₄ 981₄ 46 453₄ May October ... December Year.... May Oats-Sept October ... 2438 2419 2458 2358 November May Pork—Sept......\$14.00

\$14.07¹2 18.90 13.95 January .. 13.721g 13.7219 October. .. 9.85 8.9219 November 8.90 January .. 8,224 October... 8.30 8,30 7.00 8.45 January ... 7.0749 7.1219 7.10 Cash quotations were as follows: Flour firm; pat ents. \$1.75 25.15; bakers' \$3.65 24. No. 2 spring ents. \$1.75\(\pi\)5.15; bakers' \$3.65\(\pi\)4. No. 2 spring wheat, \$92\(\pi\)4\(\pi\)92\(\pi\)c; No. 3 spring wheat, \$79\(\pi\)86; No. 2 red, \$93\(\mathref{c}\); No. 2 corn, \$45\(\pi\)4e; No. 2 cats, \$24\(\pi\)8c; No. 2 rye, 55\(\mathref{c}\); No. 2 barley, 73\(\mathref{c}\); No. 1 flax-seed, \$1.29\(\pi\)1.30; prime timothy-seed, \$1.70; mess pork, per orl., \$14.05\(\pi\)14.07\(\mathref{c}\); lard, per pound, \$9.95\(\mathref{c}\); short ribs sides (loose), 8.45\(\mathref{c}\); dry-salted shoulders (boxed), 7.62\(\pi\)2\(\pi\)7.75\(\mathref{c}\); short-clear sides (boxed), \$9\(\pi\)9.25\(\mathref{c}\); whisky, distillers' finished goods, per gallon, \$1.20; sugar, cut loaf, \$1\(\pi\)0\(\pi\)8\(\pi\)9.25\(\mathref{c}\); sugar, cut loaf, \$1\(\pi\)0\(\pi\)8\(\pi\)9\(\pi\)9.25\(\mathref{c}\); whisky, distillers' finished goods, per gallon, \$1.20; sugar, cut loaf, \$1\(\pi\)0\(\pi\)8\(\pi\)9\(\pi\)

November 13.65

On the Produce Exchange, to-day, the butter mar-ket was steady and unchanged. Eggs firm and un! BALTIMORE, Sept. 8.—Wheat—Western quiet and easier; No. 2 winter red, spot. 96 c; September, 96 2 26 c; October, 97 207 20; December, \$1.00 2 1.00 2. Corn—Western firmer and fairly active; mixed, spot, 53 254c; October, 53 253 20; year, 47 247 4c; January, 46 247c. Oats quiet at unchanged prices. Rye firm and higher at 60 262c. Hay dull; prime to choice Western, \$16 216.50. Provisions' fairly active and steady. Coffee quiet and firm; Rio fair, 15c. Receipts—Flour, 7,600 bris; wheat, 58,000 bu; corn, 1,900 bu; oats, 19,000 bu; rve, 200 bu. Shipments—Flour, 36,000 bris; wheat. rve, 200 bu. Shipments-Flour, 36,000 brls; wheat, 88,000 bu. Sales-Wheat, 255,000 bu; corn, 82,-

LIVE STOCK.

Cattle Market Dull and Slow, Except for Best Grades-Hogs Weak and Lower.

INDIANAPOLIS, Sept. 8. CATTLE-Receipts, 1,150; shipments, 800. There was a liberal supply and the market was dull and slow sales, except on the top grades, which found ready sales at good prices. A number of loads of common

0	and medium grades went through in first hands.
h	Fancy heavy grades
	Good to choice shippers 4.40@5.00
0	Fair to medium shippers 3.50@4.10
	Common shippers 2.75@3.35
1-	Good to choice heifers 2.90 @3.25
	Common to medium heifers 2.00 2.75
	Good to choice cows 2.65@3.00
d	Common to medium cows 1.25 2.25
a	Veals, common to good 3.00 24.00
	Buils common to good 1.25 @ 2.25
5	Milkers common to good
	Hogs-Receipts, 2,160; shipments, 1,300. Quality
4	generally poor. Market weak and considerably lower,
	especially on common grades; closing almost de-

moralized. Some unsold. Heavy\$6.1026.35 5.75**26**.05 Pigs and heavy roughs...... 4.50@5.75 SHEEP-Receipts, 500; shipments, 250. Fair supply. Market was about steady at the same prices. Good to choice.....\$3.75@4.25 Fair to medium...... 3.20@3.50 ommon..... 2.50 23.00 Lambs 3.00 25.00 Bucks, per head 2.00 23.00

Elsewhere. oulls and mixed, \$1.65@5; stockers, \$2@2.50; Tex-Hogs—Receipts. 5,000; shipments. —. Market higher: heavy, \$6,5026.60; mixed, \$5.9026.10; light, \$5.7026.25; skips, \$5.7526.30. Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 10,000; shipments,
—. Market lower; common to fine, \$2.50@3.50;

Western, \$2.75@3.65; Texans, \$2.25@3.40; lambs, ST. LOUIS, Sept. 8.—Catttle—Receipts, 174; ship ments, 1.058. Market strong. Choice heavy native steers, \$5.15@5.90; fair to good native steers, \$4.40 &5.25; butchers' steers, medium to choice, \$3.40 @4.60; stockers and feeders, fair to good, \$2.30@ 3.50; rangers, corn-fed, \$3.60@4.50; grass-fed, Hogs-Receipts, 1,800; shipmens, 247. Market steady. Choice heavy and butchers' selections. \$6.45

26.60; packing, medium to prime, \$6.3026.50; light grades, ordinary to best, \$6.2526.40. Sheep-Receipts, 195; shipments, 1,779. Market slow. Fair to choice, \$3.25 a 4.50. Horses-Receipts, 155; shipments, 82. Texans and Indians, in car-loads, \$20 @38. KANSAS CITY, Sept. 8.—The Live Stock Indica-tor reports: Cattle—Receipts, 5,501; shipments. Shipping grades firm; grassers slow active and lower; good to choice corn-fed, \$5@5.50; commor to medium, \$3.25@4.75; stockers and feeding steers, \$1.60@3.60; grass range steers, \$1.80@ 3.40; cows, \$1.25@2.60.

Hogs—Receipts, 2,746; chipments, 788. Market weak and 10@15c lower; good to choice, \$6.15@6.25; common to medium, \$5.75@6.10. Sheep—Receipts, 318; shipments, none. Market steady; good to choice muttons, \$3.75@4.30; common to medium, \$1.50@3.25. BUFFALO, Sept. 8.—Cattle steady; receipts, 1.900 head through; 220 head for sale. Sales at \$5.26. Sheep and Lambs—Receipts. 1,400 head through; 3.600 head for sale. Sheep steady. Common to fair, \$2.50.23.40. Lambs weak; Canada, 10.2150 lower

Hogs-Receipts, 3,600 head through; 1,560 head for sale. Market strong and 5c higher on common stock: quality poor; mediums, \$6.40@6.50; corn-fed Yorkers, \$6.20 26.30; grassers, \$5.90 26.15. EAST LIBERTY, Pa., Sept. 8.—Cattle—Receipts, 399; shipments, 266. Nothing doing; all through consignments. Seventeen cars of cattle shipped to

Hogs-Receipts, 1,400; shipments, 2,300. Market firm. Philadelphias. \$6.50\alpha6.60; mixed, \$6.30\alpha6.40; Yorkers, \$6\alpha6.15; grassers and stubblers, \$5.75\alpha5.90; pigs, \$5\alpha5.75. One car of hogs shipped to New York to-day.

Sheep-Receipts, 1,000; shipments, 600. Market strong; shade higher.

CINCINNATI, Sept. 8.—Cattle—Receipts, 100; shipments, 120. Market quiet.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 500; shipments, 300.

Market firm. Lambs in light supply and strong at Hogs-Market quiet and easier; common and light, \$526.25; packing and butchers', \$6.1026.60. Receipts, 490; shipments, 140.

INDIANAPOLIS MARKETS

The Trade of the Week Very Satisfactory, Closing with Firm Prices. INDIANAPOLIS, Sept. 8.

The common remark with the wholesale merchants to-day was that we have had a good week's trade, fully up to expectations, and the future of business is promising. Now and then a dull day may be looked for, but the average, it is thought, will be in excess of the fall months of last year. Corn is Indiana's best crop, hogs coming next, and both of these crops promise to be largely in excess of those of either of three years past, and prosperity with the farmers means prosperity with the railroads, and in turn with every other industry. In prices this week there were several important fluctuations, coffees advancing 'so, and sugars the same, and in all staple articles higher prices are indicated, even salt feeling the improvement. Stocks of sugars are very low and lower prices are not likely to rule for some time to come. The provision market is moderately active, prices hardly as firm as in the early part of the week. The stocks now held in this market are 30 per cent. less than at the corresponding period last year. Millers report an improving demand for flour and a stiffening of prices, and there is some prospect that for the next few months they will be able to make some money. For two years next it has able to make some money. For two years past it has been a losing game with a majority of the Western millers. The wool market has again taken on a tame days past, but a better market is looked for m the near future. The produce markets were very active to-day, as usual on Saturday. stocks were well cleared up. Peaches are coming in less freely, and with a good demand prices have strengthened somewhat. Pears, as well, are in lighter supply, and prices have a firmer tone, but range no higher. Potatoes, both Irish and sweet, are in atundant supply and nominal in price, home-grown stock competing with that shipped in. Receipts of eggs are light, and probably an advance of 1 cent will be established next week. Butter steady; receipts large. Poultry weak at quotations on large arrivals. The seed market is active: prices firm; there is a large dawheat. The hide market rules tame and presents no interesting features; while there is a fair demand prices fail to advance.

While there was no important advance in prices stablished to-day there was a better feeling noticeable. Milling grades of wheat were in good demand, at steady prices, and futures attract a good deal of attention. Corn was only in fair request at about

Friday's range of prices. Outs more active on	ing
arrivals. Track bids to-day ruled as follows.	
Wheat-No. 2 Red	91
Rejected.	74
September	91
October	91
Corn-No. 1 white	45
No. 2 white	44
No. 4 white	39
No. 2 mixed	42
Oats-No. 2 white	27
No. 3 white	26
No. 2 mixed	21
Rejected white	23
Unmerchantable	17
Septeraber	23
October	51
Rye-No. 2	- 33

Hay-No. 1 timothy...... 12.25 No. 2 timothy 10.50 The Jobbing Trade. COAL AND COKE.

Block, \$3.25 P ton; Minshall, \$3.50 P ton; Jack Block, \$3.25 \$\psi\$ ton; Minshall, \$3.50 \$\psi\$ ton; Jackson, \$3.75 \$\psi\$ ton; Pittsburg, \$4 \$\psi\$ ton; Raymond eity, \$4 \$\psi\$ ton; Winifrede, \$4 \$\psi\$ ton; Campbell Creek, \$4 \$\psi\$ ton; Hocking, \$3.75 \$\psi\$ ton; Island City, \$3 \$\psi\$ ton; nut, \$2.75 \$\psi\$ ton; Highland, \$2.75 \$\psi\$ ton; Duggar (Peacock) lump, \$3 \$\psi\$ ton; nut, \$3 \$\psi\$ ton; chestnut, No. 4 and stove anthracite, \$7 \$\psi\$ ton; egg and grate anthracite, \$6.75 \$\psi\$ ton; cas coke, \$13c \$\psi\$ bu; crushed coke, \$14c \$\psi\$ bu. All soft coal, nut size, 50c \$\psi\$ ton less than the above prices on the same quality I ton less than the above prices on the same quality

of lump coal. Peaches—Standard, 3-pound, \$1.20@2.00; 3-pound seconds, \$1.30@1.50. Miscellaneous—Blackberries. 2-pound, 80 290c; raspberries, 2-pound, \$1.15 2 1.30; pineapple, standard, 2-pound, \$14.0 2.50; seconds, 2-pound, \$1.10 21.20; cove oysters, 1-pound, full weight. 95c@\$1; light, 65@70c; 2-pound, full, \$1.70@1.80; light, 90c@\$1; string beans, 85@95c; Lims beans, \$1.20@1.30; peas, marrowfat, \$1.20@1.40; small. \$1.50@1.75; lobsters, \$1.85@2; red cherries, 95c@\$1.10; strawberries, \$1.20@1.30 salmon (Bs), \$1.90@2.50.

DRY GOODS. Tickings-Amoskeag ACA, 13c; Conestoga BF 15c; Conestoga extra, 13¹4c; Conestoga Gold Med a 14c; Conestoga CCA, 12c; Conestoga AA, 10c; Conestoga X, 9c; Pearl River, 12c; Fails OBO, 32-inch, 13 gc; Methuen AA, 12 gc; Oakland A, 7 gc; Swift River, 6 gc; York, 32 inch, 13 gc; York, 30 inch,

BLEACHED SHEETINGS—Blackstone AA, Sc; Ballou & Son. 7¹gc; Chestnut Hill, 6¹gc; Cabot 4-4. 7¹gc; Chapman X, 6¹gc; Dwight Star S, 9c; Fruit of the Loom. 8³gc; Lonsdale. 8³gc; Linwood, 8¹gc; Masonville. 9¹gc; New York Mills. 11c; Our Own, 5³gc; Pepperell, 9-4, 22c; Pepperell, 10-4, 24c; Hills, 8¹gc; Hope, 7³gc; Knight's Cambric. 8c; Lonsdale Cambric, 11¹gc; Whitinsville, 33-inch, 6¹gc; Wamsutta, 11c. Ginghams—Amoskeag, 7³gc; Bates, 7¹gc; Gloucester, 7¹gc; Glasgow, 6¹gc; Lancaster, 7³gc; Gloucester, 7¹gc; Glasgow, 6¹gc; Lancaster, 7³gc; Ranelman's, 7¹gc; Ronfrew Madras, 9c; Cumberland, 6¹gc; White, 7c; Bookfold, 10¹gc. Grain Bags—American, \$16; Atlanta, \$18; Frank-GRAIN BAGS-American, \$16; Atlanta, \$18; Franklinville, \$17.50; Lewiston, \$18; Ontario, \$16.50; Stark A, \$21. PAPER CAMBRICS-Manville, 6c; S. S. & Son, 6c; Masonville, 6c: Garner, 6c. PRINTS-American fancy, 6e; Allen's facey, 5190; PRINTS—American fancy, 6c; Allen's fancy, 5¹gc; Allen's dark, 5¹gc; Allen's pink, 6¹gc; Arnold's, 6¹gc; Berlin, solid colors, 6c; Cocheco, 6c; Conestoga, 5¹gc; Dunnell's, 5¹gc; Eddystone, 6¹gc; Hartel. 5¹gc; Harmony, 5c; Hamilton, 6c; Greenwich, 5¹gc; Knickerbocker, 5¹gc; Mallory pink, 6c; Richmond, 6c.

BROWN SHEETINGS—Atlantic A, 7¹gc; Boott C, 6c; Agawam E, 5¹gc; Bedford R, 4¹gc; Augusta, 5¹gc; Boott AL, 6³gc; Continental C, 6³gc; Augusta, 5¹gc; Boott AL, 6³gc; Continental C, 6³gc; Lawrence LL, 6c; Pepperell E, 7³gc; Pepperell E, 6¹gc: Lawrence LL, 6c; Pepperell E, 7³gc; Pepperell R, 6³gc; Pepperell 9.4, 20c; Pepperell 10-4, 22c; Utica 9-4, 22¹gc; Utica 10-4, 25c; Utica C, 4³gc.

DRUGS.

Alcohol, \$2.22@2.30; asafætida, 15@20c; alum, 4 \$5c; camphor, 30@32c; cochineal, 50@55c; chloroform, 55@60c; copperas, bris, \$3@3.50; cream tartar, pure, 40@42c; indigo, 80@81c; licorice, Calab., tar, pure, 40@42e; indigo, 80@81e; licorice, Calab., genuine, 30@45e; magnesia, carb.; 2-oz, 25@35e; morphine, P. & W. P oz, \$2.60; madder. 12@14e; oil, castor, P gal, \$1.25@1.30; oil, bergamot, P ib, \$3@3.25; opium, \$3@3.15; quinine, P. & W., P oz, 50@55e; balsam copabia, 60@65e; scap, Castile, Fr., 12@16e; soda, bicarb., 4½@6e; salts, Epsom, 4@5e; sulphur, flour, 4@6e; saltpetre, 8@20e; turpentine, 40@42e; glycerine, 25@30e; idodide otass., \$3@3.20; bromide potass., 40@42c; chlorate potash, 25c; borax, 10@12c; cinchonidia, 122 15c; carbolic acid, 45@50c. Oils-Linseed oil, raw, 50c P gal; boiled, 53c; coal oil, legal test, 9@14c; bank, 40c; best straits, 45c; Labrador, 60c; West Virginia, lubricating, 20@

30c; miners'. 65c. Lard Oils-No. 1, 50 @55c; do, WHITE LEAD-Pure, 634c; lower grades, 5426c. FRUITS AND VEGETABLES. APPLES—Per brl, \$1.75@2.(); common, 75c@ 1.00; selling in bulk on track, 50@40c & bu. GRAPES-Concord, 3@4c P 15. NUTMEG MELONS-Indiana grown, 50@750 P brl. ONIONS-Southern, \$2.00@2.25 P brl; Spanish,

PEACHES—Per box, 30 @40c; choice, 75c.
PEARS—Common. \$1.75 \$\text{P}\$ brl; better varieties, 2.50 @3.00 \$\text{P}\$ brl; choice Bartlett, \$3.50 @4.00 \$\text{P}\$ bushel boxes, 31.25. PLUMS-Damson \$3.50@4.00 P stand. POTATOKS-Per brl. \$1.00@1.25. SWEET POTATOES -Baltimore stock, \$1.0005.00.

WATERMELONS -- Per car-load, \$30. FOREIGN FRUITS. Raisins, London layer, new, \$3.40@3.50 P boz; loose, muscatelle, 2-crown, \$1.75\alpha 2.25 \(\psi\) box; Valencia, new, 7\square 2080 \(\psi\) bis citron, 23\alpha 240 \(\psi\) lb; currants, 7\alpha 7\square 20\) b. Bananas-Jamaica, \$1.50\alpha 2.00; Aspinwall, \$1.50\alpha 2.50. Oranges—Messina, \$6.25\alpha 7.50. Lemons—Choice, \$3.50; extra. fancy, \$4.50. Figs, 14\alpha 16c. Prunes—Turkish, old, 4\square 20 4 gc; new, 5@5 gc. GROCERIES.

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COFFEES — Ordinary grades, 14@15c; air.

15½@16c; good, 16½@17½c; prime, 18½@19½c;
strictly prime to choice, 19½@20½c; fancy green and
yellow, 20½@21½c; old government Java, 29@30c;
ordinary Java, 25½@26½c, imitation Java, 23½
@24½c; roasted coffees, 18¾c.

Molasses and Syrups—New Orleans molasses,
foir a prime 30@35c; choice 40@50c. Syrups 30 fair to prime, 30@35c; choice, 40@50c. Syrups, 30 FLOUR SACKS—No. 1 drab, 14 brl, \$33 \$\psi\$ 1,000; 19 brl, \$17; lighter weight, \$1 \$\psi\$ 1,000 less.

LEAD—728c for pressed bars.

DRIED BEEF-11@13c. SPICES-Pepper, 1819@19c; allspice, 10@12c; doves, 22@25c; cassia, 10@12c; nutmegs, 70@85c STARCH-Refined pearl, 3@34c P to; Eureka, 5 6c; frampion gloss lump, 31904; improved corn,

RICE-Louisians, 507c.

SHOT...\$1.45@1.50 & bag for drop.
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SUGARS...Hards, 8@834c; confectioners' A, 8@
81gc; standard A, 77g@8c; off A, 75g@734c; white
extra O, 71g@75gc; fine yellows, 714@73gc; good
yellows, 71g@714c; fair yellows, 63g@7c; common
yellows, 63g@67gc.
SALT.-In car lots, 90c; small lots, \$1.00@1.05. TWINE-Hemp, \$12@18c \$ B; wool, \$@10c; flax, 20@30c; paper, 18c; jute, 12@15c; cotton, 16@25c. WOODENWARE-No. 1 tubs, \$7.75@8.00; No 2 tubs, \$6.75@7.00; No. 3 tubs, \$5.75@6.00; 3-hoop pails, \$1.75@1.80; double washboards, \$2@2.75; common washboards, \$1.20@1.85; clothes-pins, 50

VOODEN DISHES--Per 100, 1 tb, 20c; 2 tbs, 25c; 3 fbs, 30c; 5 fbs, 40c. WRAPPING PAPER .- Crown straw, 180 # bundle; medium straw. 27c; double-crown straw, 36c; heavy-weight straw, 13, 22c P ib; crown rag, 20c P bundle; medium rag, 30c; double-crown rag, 40c; heavy-weight rag, 24, 23c P ib; Manila, No. 1, 8, 29c; No. 2, 54, 26 4c; print paper, No. 1, 6, 7c; book paper, No. 3, 8, & C., 10, 211c; No. 2, 8, & C., 8, 29c; No. 1, 8, 5, 7, 1, 28c.

IRON AND STEEL. Bar iron (rates), 2@2.25c; horse-shoe bar, 3.25c; Norway rail rod, So; German steel plow-slabs, 4c; American drill steel, 10 212c; Sanderson tool steel, 16c; tire steel, 4c; spring steel, 6c; horse shoes \$\Phi \text{kg}\$, \$4.25\to 4.50; mules shoes \$\Phi \text{kg}\$, \$5.25\to 5.50; horse nails \$\Phi\$ box, \$d., \$5: steel nails, 10d and larger, \$2.25\to 2.35 \$\Phi\$ keg; other sizes at the usual advance; wire nails, \$2.90. TINNERS' SUPPLIES-Best brand charcoal tin. IC 11NNERS SUPPLIES—Best brand charcoal tin, 10, 10x14, 14x20, 12x12, \$7: IX, 10x14, 10x20 and 12x12, \$8.75; IC, 14x20, roofing tin, \$5.50; IC, 20x28, \$11; block tin, in pigs, 36c; in bars, 41c. Iron—27 B iron, 3½c, 27 C iron, 5c; galvanized, 50 and 10 per cent. discount. Sheet zinc, 6½c. Copper bottoms, 30c. Planished copper, 36c; solder, 21 20 23c.

LEATHER. HIDES AND TAGLOW. LEATHER-Oak sole, 35@37c; hemlock sole, 26@ 2e; harness, 30@35c; skirting, 37@38c; black brille, P doz. \$60065; fair bridle, \$60078 P doz.; oity kip, \$60@80; French kip, \$85@120; city calf skins, 85@\$1.10; French calf-skins, \$1.15@1.80. HIDES-No. 1, cured, 614c; No. 2, 42414c; No. 1 green, 5c; No. 1 calf, green, 5c; No. 1 calf, cured, 61gc; No. 2, 2c off; dry salt, 7c; flint, 8c. Sheepskins-Shearlings, 25c; lambs, 40c.

TALLOW-Prime, 319 24c. GREASE-Brown, 21gc; yellow, 23gc; white, 31go OIL CARE

Oil Cake-\$23 P ton; oil meal, \$23. PRODUCE. BEANS-Choice hand-picked navy, \$2.85@3.25 P u; medium band-picked, \$2.40@2.80. BUTTER-Fair creamery, 16@18c; choice, 22@23c; ountry, 12@14c; common, 7@9c. BEESWAX--Dark, 18c; yellow, 20c. EGGS-Selling from store at 14c; shippers paying

POULTRY-Hens, Sc; roosters, Sc; turkeys, hens, 7c; toms, 5c; geese, \$3.50; goslins, \$3.00 P doz; ducks, 5c P lb; young chickens, Sc P lb; young turkeys, 10e P tb FEATHERS-Prime geese, 350 P fb; mixed duck Wool-Tub-washed and picked, 33@35c; un washed, medium and common grades, if in good ord er 22c; unwashed fine, 17@28c; fleece washed, if light well washed and in good order, 28@30c; burry and

unmerchantable, according to their value. PROVISIONS. JOBBING PRICES.-Smoked meats.-Sugar-cured hams, 10 to 12 ms average, 134c; 15 ms average, 134c; 17 ms average, 134c; 20 ms average, 13c; 22 ms average, 124c; English-cured breakfast b acon, light or medium, 134c; sugar-cured shoulders, 10 to 12 ms average, 94c; California hams, light or medium, 94c; dried beef hams, 12c; dried beef hams, knuckle pieces, 12c; dried beef hams, thin pieces, 10c. Bacon-Clear sides, medium average, 11 4c; 35 fbs and over, average, 11 4c; clear backs, medium average, 11 4c; clear bellies, medium weight, 11 4c. Dry-salt and Pickled Meats-Clear sides (unsmoked), 10 4c; clear backs (unsmoked), 10 4c; clear bellies (unsmoked), 10 4c; clear pork & brl 200 fbs, \$18; family mess pork & brl 200 fbs, \$17; ham or rump pork, & brl 200 fbs, \$15; Bologna—Skin, large or small, 7 4c; cleth, large or small, 7c. Lard—Pure winter leaf, kettle rendered, in tierces, 10 4c; in one-half brls, 11c; in 50-fb cases, 11c. Refined Lard—In tierces, 9 4c.

SEEDS. Bacon-Clear sides, medium average, 114c; 35 ths and

Clover—Red, choice, 60 fb bu, \$4.50 \(\pi 4.75 \); English, choice, \$4.30 \(\pi 4.60 \); white, choice, \$6.75 \(\pi 7.50 \); Alsike, \$6.75 \(\pi 7.50 \); Alfalfa, choice, \$7.20 \); Timothy—Choice 45 fb bu, \$2.25 \(\pi 2.50 \). Blue grass—Fancy, 14 fb bu, \$0 \(\pi 81.00 \). Orchard grass-Extra elean, 14 fb bu, \$1.25@1.50. Red top grass—Extra elean, 14 m bu, \$1.25@1.50. Red top—choice, 14 m bu, \$0c@\$1.00. English blue grass 24 m bu, \$1.25@1.50. Acme lawn grass, 14 m bu \$1.75@2.25. Seed rye, 60c # bu. Flaxseed, select ed, \$1.30@1.50 per bu. Hemp, 3 c. Canary, 4c Rape, 7c per m. Spinach—Bloomsdale savoy-lea (sealed bags), 30c per m. Turnip seed, 30@40c

FIELD SEEDS

Wholesale and retail at C. F. HUNTINGTON & CO.'S, uecessors to Huntington & Hoss, 78 and 80 E. Market st., Indianapolis. Samples and prices on application.

an Francisco Chronicle. However, to get back to the subject. Let me see. What was I talking about? Ob, yes: about the girl with the motto. She was a girl who | been properly applied.

had been engaged two or three times. She had gone through all the trouble attendant on being interrupted by her little brothers and sisters. and the old folks, during the tete-a-tetes. For a long time she had been at work on a piece of embroidery of such a sacred and secret pature that she locked it up from all eyes, and only worked on it when she was quite alone. Frequently they had tried to find out, but what it was they could not discover. One evening when the girl and her beau were in the parlor, the mother, stepping softly along the passage towards the door, was brought to a standstill by an elegantly embroidered motto hanging on the wall. It

COUGH HERE.

FRATERNITIES AND ORGANIZATIONS

The Secret Societies. ODD-FELLOWS.

The Odd-fellows' Mutual Aid Association has paid Mrs. Clift, of Terro Haute, \$2,500. The Royal Purple degree was conferred by Metro-politan Encampment on Monday night. The initiatory degree was conferred by Capital Lodge on Friday night on two candidates. Fidelity Louge, No. 227, D. of R., meets to-morrow night in the hall of Indianapolis Lodge, on Virginia

The Grand Lodge of Missouri pays a premium of \$100 to every lodge that accumulates 1,500 volumes in a library. The members of the city lodges are informed that Harris Lodge, at Mt. Jackson, meets on Monday nights, and the officers will be glad to have them visit

it and assist in the work. The noise made on the streets by the beating of drums interferes with lodge and other meetings held at night. Last Wednesday night was especially noisy, but Philoxenian Lodge managed to confer the first degree. Next Wednesday, if drums will permit, the third degree will be conferred on several candidates. Cauton Indianapolis will meet to-morrow night. There will be work in the degree. Three different houses have been requested to furnish a sample of uniforms, and the committee requests all members who can do so to meet at T. G. Harrison's office on East Market street (Thorpe Block) at 2 o'clock to-mor-row to examine the uniforms. Arrangements have been made to furnish uniforms at the lowest cash prices and on easy terms to the members. Let all turn out Monday night.

T. P. Haughey and wife, Mrs. Jason Carey and daughter, J. W. McQuiddy, wife and daughter, C. B. Cooper and R. L. Reynolds left for Los Angeles, Cal., via the I., B. & W. and C. & A. roads the latter part of the week. At Kansas City they will be joined by Indiana people from Kokomo, Warsaw and Huntington, as well as excursionists from various parts of the country. They will reach Kansas City to morrow morning at 11:30 and after stopping at Topeka, Wichita, Las Vegas and Santa Fe, will arrive at Los Angeles Saturday afternoon. Mr. Butler, of the I., B. & W., Mr. Perry, of the C. & A., and Mr. Hendry accompanied the party to Bloomington, Ill., Mr. Hendry continuing the trip to Los Angeles. KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS.

Col. J. M. Storey, of Franklin, was in town Thurs Indianapolis Division, No. 2, U. R., admitted two candidates for membership last Friday evening.

C. B. Selvage and Frank Jenkins are meeting with

great success in canvassing the city lodges for Gen eral Carnahan's "Pythian Literature." Brother Adam Rothermel, of Connersville, has been appointed State agent for the Knights of Pythias Fraternal Benefit Association, of Ohio, and was in the city Tuesday selecting local agents. Sept. 18 will be "Pythian day" at Louisville, Ky. The last day has been set apart for competitive drilling, band tournament and other entertainments during the session of the Grand Lodge of Kentucky.

A meeting of the field officers of the Indiana Brigade will be held at the office of G. K. R. S. Bowers, on Sept. 20, fair week, for consultation and other business connected with the proposed encampment of the Uniform Rank at Warsaw, Ind., next year. All divisions, regimental and otherwise, are invited to be present. Uniforms will be dispensed with.

Several prominent members from this city will partic-

The first supreme chancellor of the order, Samuel Resd, B. S. C., died at his home in Mt. Holly, N. J., Aug. 13, aged seventy-three years. He was one of the men who, in the birth and infancy of the order, gave to it his untiring and useful devotion. In the arly days of the order, when a leader was required of unusual executive ability, and when the future was to be assured through the action of the new and untried, originality of the highest and truest type was to shape the destiny of the order or failure and disaster must follow. In the first leader all this was found. Samuel Read went forward in the work, the result of which is seen in the solid phalanx of 250, 000 men keeping step to the music of F., C. and B. After a debate which lasted nearly three days, and which was one of the most remarkable, perhaps, that ever took place in the history of the order, the Grand Lodge of Pennsylvania, at its session on Aug. 23-28, fully and freely acknowledged the surremacy of the Supreme Lodge by ordering the corrections in her laws necessary to harmonize them with those of the highest authority. So overwhelming was the expression of loyalty which came from the subordinate lodges that there can no longer be any doubt that the great mass of the membership in Pennsylvania is utterly opposed to the so-called doctrine of States rights foisted upon them by a small minority. The order in Pennsylvania, by a vote of 265 to 62, has repudiated the false position in which it was placed by its late grand chanceller and his followers, and so complete has been the re-pudiation that it should be final for all time to come. By its action the Grand Lodge is now entitled to full reinstatement as a loyal body composing the supreme

jurisdiction. IMPROVED ORDER OF RED MEN. Palmetto Tribe has several pale faces to adopt at its next meeting. The Pochahontas Degree has changed its meeting night to the first Friday of each month.

UNITED ANCIENT ORDER OF DRUIDS. Capital City Grove has several applications for membership to be acted on. Come of the members report that they have more to present at an early

QUEEN ESTHER CHAPTER. The Emera Club of Queen Esther Chapter will meet Friday afternoon, Sept. 14. at Mrs. Ed Stott's, 311 Union street. Members of the chapter are very cordially invited to attend, especially in the evening.

CULLINGS FROM THE COURTS. Long Does Not Help His Case by Testifying

in His Own Behalf. The evidence in the Long murder case was closed yesterday afternoon. The principal witness of the day was the defendant himself. The account of the affray he gave the jury differed very materially from his statement before the coroner, a day or two after the killing. He testified that when he and Baker met, Buker struck him first, and then kicked him in the abdomen It was brought out in cross-examination that he told the coroner he had struck Baker first and then kicked him. He was subjected to a very rigid cross-examination by John Duncan, and was unable to say why his statements differed. The State offered no testimony in rebuttal, and at 4 o'clock the argument began. John Duncan made the opening speech for the prosecution, and his arraignment of the accused was very severe. W. N. Harding, Will Martz and Ben Davis will speak for the defense Monday, and Prosecutor Mitchell will close for the State.

Several Divorces. Yesterday was divorce day in the Superior Courts. Judge Taylor divorced Nan M. Wilson and Emery Wilson, giving Mrs. Wilson the custody of a daughter and \$1,200 alimony. The money is to be paid in weekly installments by Hildebrand & Fugate, by whom Mr. Wilson is employed. In Judge Walker's court David M. Squires was separated from his wife, Lottie Squires. She did not appear in court to resist the action. Four years ago she ran away as a ballet girl in an opera company, and is now on the Louisville variety stage. Judge Howe granted Laura Shepherd a divorce from Henry Shepherd, and Cynthia Corbaley from Wm. H Corbaley. In the latter case Mrs. Corbaley was given \$3,600 alimony.

To Foreciose a Mortgage. The Case Manufacturing Company, of Columbus, O., filed in the United States Circuit Court yesterday a suit to foreclose a mechanic's lien on a hominy and flouring-mill owned by Hervey Bates, jr., and others. The company charges that on July 1, 1887, the defendant gave two promissory notes for the sum of \$3,250 each, payable twelve and eighteen months, respectively, for refurnishing and refitting the mill with necessary machinery for its operation. The company avers that due notice was given the defendant that a mechanic's lien would be filed with the county recorder, and solicit the court to grant the foreclosure.

Judgment Against Them. In the Circuit Court, yesterday, James W. Hudson, the contractor, was given judgment against Theresa Saunders, William H. Smith. and Francis and Cordelia Wiley, for assessments for street improvements. The defendants own property on South Mississippi street, and resisted payment of their assessment on the ground that the street was not properly improved. The judgment was given on the showing that the work was done satisfactory to the city civil engineer.

A Receiver Discharged.

Preston Trusier, receiver of the Oolitic Quarry Company, filed his final report yesterday, and was discharged by Judge Walker. He simply reported that he had sold the plant of the company to S. O. Pickens, and that the funds had

THE STATE FOR BREEDERS

Two Essentials Indiana Possesses for Developing Animals of High Strain.

Bluegrass and Water That Excel Those of Kentucky-Support of the People Needed to Help the Horse-Breeding Industry.

The meeting of the Trotting and Pacing Horse-breeders' Association, held in this city the past week, has called up numerous discussions between citizens, whose partiality seems to be divided between the various localities is the United States as to the actual advantage of Indiana as a horse and cattle-raising State. The association is as yet so young that it has not stirred up sufficient interest, outside of its circle of horsemen, to bring the question into much prominence, although during the last year there has been a marked increase in its patronage. Indeed, it has been only within the last few years that Indiana has showed any ambition whatever to take a leading place in the production of fast horses and the making of national records, and, as a consequence, whatever superior facilities she may possess for advancement in this line she has permitted heretofore to pass unnoticed. Naturally enough she is compared with Kentucky in her strides toward the goal of her ambition, for until recently that region, so fertile in whisky and fast horses, has stood pre-eminent. Not only has Kentucky sustained this position, but dangerous competition has never troubled ber. But Indiana has now declared her intention to play the role so long conceded to her Southern neigh-

The two essential points, many horsemen claim, in which Indiana is strongest and in which she will take the lead, are her natural supply of water and pasturage. No State in the Union can excel her for the purity and abundance of cool, spring water, it being a State maxim among farmers that it is poor soil where in one hour's time a well can not be sunk that will prove inexhaustible. The running streams of Indiana, lined as they are with shady banks and leading off into cultivated fields of grass and pasturage, not only increase facilities in stock raising, but tend to bring an influx of the leading breeders from neighboring States who naturally enough do not strive States as to advance their interests. Pasturage is principally confined to blue grass, while other wild grasses contribute to a small degree. Probably no State in the Union ranks as high, not even excepting Kentucky, in the growth and cultivation of a blue grass belt. South of the Ohio river, comprising a narrow strip of country that takes in Lexing-ton, Frankfort, Eminence, Paris and a few other Kentucky points, the raising of blue grass is almost entirely pursued, but elsewhere in the State no attention is paid whatever to its production. In Indiana the case is different. While at present the growth in any one locality may be as dense as it is throughout the Kentucky belt, it is distributed much more evenly throughout our counties. As would naturally be supposed, however, some counties exceed others in the yield. Putnam, Jasper, Owen, Lawrence, Greene and Hendricks are noted for their blue grass crops since 1885, while the rest have varied. In the State as a whole 2,099,986 acres of soil were devoted to the raising of blue and other wild grasses alone in 1887. During the same year only 1,269,870 acres of timothy were grown. Aside from the fact that Indiana devotes :

larger area to the cultivation of pasturage, it is an undisputed fact that the quality of her blue grass is unsurpassed. Kentucky again affords the best comparison. Her grass, while it has for years been considered the best, when compared to the Indiana yield proves to be of a coarser kind. There is a fineness in the Indiana blade, which is natural, while the inferior quality of the Kentucky crop is due to a longpursued cultivation." "Is Indiana's superiority in blue grass and

water supply the only thing that will conduce to her success in the breeding of fast horses?" was asked of one of the leading horsemen in the

"No, our breeders must be men of judgment to succeed. They have the best State in the Union for a breeding ground, and, if they do not succed inside of five years, their failure will be due to their own ignorance. Good grass and good water are not the only requisites for a horse breeder's success. There are two things that must not be forgotten, and they follow right at the heels of good pasturage. These are good shelter and goed feed. Shelter from wind and snow, aided by a good ventilation, will do more to place Indiana's horses in the foremost rank than almost any other attention on the

W. P. Ijams, the owner of the Warren Park farm at Terre Haute, however, does not entertain the hopeful views of others regarding blue grass culture in Indiana. He does not think this State will ever outrank Kentucky. "The great difference between the two States," he said recently, "is in the people. Since the days of Henry Clay the people of Kentucky have been lovers of fast horses, and there the business of breeding and training them is supported by the wealthiest class. The Indianains will have to be educated up to that point. They are a long way from it now."
"But how about the blue-grass?" the reporter

"Oh, I regard it as foolishness to consider the Indiana blue-grass as ever being able to outrank

WORK FOR THE PLUMBERS.

A Regiment of Men Employed, and Yet Many Houses Will Wait Months for Piping.

The plumbers of Indianapolis are reaping a

harvest. Just at present there are perhaps more of them engaged in Indianapolis than in any city in the Union. Their work began early last spring, when the first natural gas reached this city, and will got be finished when winter comes on. There were originally but three or now twenty that have taken out license. They employ, on an average, sixty men each, making an army of 1,200 journeymen plumbers now engaged in piping Indianapolis houses. Notwithstanding the enormous number of men, almost as many again could be now supplied with work. We have sixty-five men in our empley," said C. W. Meikel yesterday, "and we have more work ahead than we can possibly get through with before winter." Other firms make similar statements. Hundreds of property-owners have been unable to get their houses piped, and will likely not be able to have it done for several months on account of the in-sufficient number of men. Some of the firms have so much work ahead that they will not make any more estimates on work to be done this year. Many firms along Washington, Illinois and Pennsylvania streets are desirous of outting up natural gas arches, but few of them have succeded in getting estimates from piumb-

"Does not the rush of work give the plumbers an opportunity to be extortionate in their charges?" was asked a gentleman yesterday, who has had much work done by them. "Yes it does," said he, "but they have not taken advantage of their opportunity. It is duct the services. true they charge enough, but they have not been extortionate. All the firms have agreed upon a scale of charges, and whonever you get an estimate from one you may be certain that you will not get your work done any cheaper by going to another. The people of Indianapolis, I should say, have been treated very well."

Real Estate and Building. The real estate market was not very active the last week. Only sixty-eight deeds were recorded. representing property valued at \$99,171.08. No transactions of note occurred. There is still a considerable demand for building lots in the suburbs of the city, but improved property is not meeting a very ready sale. The building contractors have not been so busy any fall for many years. Notwithstanding the near approach of winter they are continuing to take contracts for many new houses, mostly for residence purposes. During the week twenty-eight permits were granted, calling for an outlay of \$22,587.

A Fertile Farm.

E. P. Messner is compelled, owing to its height, to gather his corn with a step-ladder. Yesterday he took to the meeting of the County Horticultural Society, at Mr. Howland's, some sample stalks, averaging fifteen and a half feet

ground. Mr. Messner has also made a decided success in raising banana melons, samples of which are eighteen inches long, and are sweet and delicious, similar in flaver to the "nutmeg"

G. A. R. AFFAIRS. The Indiana Soldiers and Others Bound for

the National Encampment.

There will be a large attendance of local G. A R. men at the National Encampment at Columbus, O., this week. It is estimated that at least 600 will attend from this city alone, and already more than 6,600 from over the State have signified their intention to accompany the Indianapolis veterans. To-morrow morning three trains will leave for the encampment by the Panhandle, I., B. & W. and the Bee-line roads, and special trains will follow if necessary. A large number of veterans from other States are pass ing through the city daily, and have been for some time, and it is expected that the encampment this year will exceed that of any previous year in size and onthusiasm. There are 1,000 delegates appointed from the entire United States, of which number Indiana has thirty-four. It is the function of these delegates to attend to the legislation of matters pertaining to the manage-ment of the G. A. R. for each ensuing year. From this city and other State points many noted men will attend. Among these are th present adjutant of the department, Col. I. N. Walker, General McGinnis, Ira J. Chase, Colonel Dudley, General Bennett, Richmond; Edwin Nicar, South Bend; D. M. Foster, Ft. Wayne, and others. Tuesday will be devoted to a grand parade and review in which 75,000 veterans will participate. The programme of the other days will be varied and be arranged so as to best suit the circumstances.

Exercises at Chapman Post.

George H. Chapman Post, G. A. R., and the Woman's Relief Corps in connection therewith, held a camp-fire last night which was attended with exercises of more than usual interest. There was a good attendance. Speeches were made by Commander McPherson, George W. Spahr, George C. Webster and Past National Commander Paul Vandervoort, of Nebraska. The latter's address was listened to with great interest, and was many times warmly applauded. He is an ardent friend of the soldier and spoke warmly in favor of more and better homes for the indigent veterans and their dependent families. "In my own State," said he, "I am proud to say that we have a soldiers' home that has gone a long step further than most of those existing further east. We have made it a home not merely for all soldiers who are not able to support themselves, but also for their wives and children under ten years of age; also for the widows of such soldiers we did that because we found out that there were many comparatively helpless soldiers who prefered to starve rather than be separated from their families." After the addresses refreshments were served, and some time was spent in social enjoyment.

Anderson Post,

Maj. Robert Anderson Post, G. A. R., will go in a special train over the I., B. & W. road from here to the grand encampment at Columbus, O., on Monday at 11 o'clock, A. M. Comrades from other posts who desire to attend the ercampment are invited to go with this post and get the benefit of the low fare. Only \$2.50 for the round taip.

TO-DAY'S CHURCH SERVICES.

Robert W. Douglass will preach both morning and evening at the Friends' Church. At Plymouth Church there will be preaching this evening by the Rev. James MeLeod.

The Second Presbyterian Church Sunday-school will be held at 2:30 o'clock this afternoon. At the Central Christian Church the preaching, both morning and evening, will be by Rev. D. R. Lucas, of Des Moines, Ia. F. W. Douglass will preach at the Central avenue M. E. Church in the morning and the

Rev. J. W. Bailey will occupy the pulpit in the There will be no service at the Mayflower Congregational Church to-day, on account of the death of Rev. Frederick Huntington, pastor-

CITY NEWS IN BRIEF.

All the statuary for the State-house fotunda will be in place this week. The Woman's Auxiliary to the Y. M. C. A. will meet to-morrow afternoon, 2:30 o'clock at

Y. M. C. A. parlors. Marriage licenses were issued yesterday to Buschman G. Jaquett and Cora E. Champlia, Edward Krause and Anna M. Singer, Ambrose D. Hedges and Sarah E. Clark.

The Indianapolis Frog and Switch Company filed with the Secretary of State yesterday artic-les of incorporation. It will manufacture frogs, crossings, switches, bars and other railroad appliances with a capital stock of \$40,000, divided into shares of \$50 each. The directors are E. C. Dawes, J. E. McGettigan, William C. Cochran, Lewis P. Horton and Frank A. Fos-

Association of War Prisoners. The committee of the local association o Union ex-prisoners of war having in charge the arrangements for the meeting of the national association in Indianapolis on the 18th and 19th inst., has about completed its work. Tomlinson Hall has been secured for the camp fire, which will be given on the evening of the 18th, and will be open to the general public. The business meetings of the association will be held that of Kentucky. But then I don't care to slander our own yield. That wouldn't do, you house. Several speakers will be present from abroad, including General W. H. Powell, presidence of the company of dent of the association; Rev. C. C. McCabe chaplain; Major Frank E. Moran, historian; General L. R. Fortesque, Philadelphia; General Pavey, Mt. Vernon. Ill.; General Alexander Shaler, New York; Captain T. H. McKee, Washington: Colonel C. G. Davis, Boston; Rev. Mr. Wilson, Rochester, Ind., all of whom will be present at the camp-fire. It is expected that this will be the largest and best reunion held by the prisoners of war for several years. It being

State fair week, the railroad fares will be low.

Fuel Contracts Awarded. The County Commissioners yesterday opened the bids and awarded the contract for natural gas for the court-house, the county jail and the four plumbing firms in the city, but there are | work-house. The contract for supplying gas for the court-house and the jail was given to the Indianapolis company, and for the work-house to the Broad Ripple company. The bids were as follows: Indianapolis company, court-house, \$700 per annum; jail, \$75 per annum; work-house, \$550 per annum; whole, \$1.250. Consumers Trust company: Court-house, \$720; jail, \$100. Broad Ripple company bid on the work-house only. Its proposition was \$400, \$150 below that of the Indianapolis Company. G. R. Root & Co., were given the contract for furnishing coal for the Poor Asylum, at \$2.40 and \$2.70 per ton, according to quality.

Death of Mrs. Julian.

The death of Mrs. Martha Julian, wife of Judge Jacob Julian, occured Friday evening at her home, 333 College avenue, of congestion of the stomach. Deceased was born in Wayne county, April 22, 1817, on a farm near the place owned by Judge Julian's parents. The children now living are John F. Julian, a resident of this city, and Mrs. Mary Downey, now residing at Durango, Col. The funeral takes place at 2 o'clock this afternoon from the family residence. Ravs. Dr. Lynch and Wm. R. Jordon will con-

Indiana University Notes. Correspondence of the India napolis Journal

BLOOMINGTON, Sept. 7 .- The fall term of the Indiana University opens on Thursday, Sept. 13. The faculty has been considerably strengthened since last year by the return of Professors Boone and Greene from Johns Hopkins; of Professor Philputt, from Harvard, and by the addition of Professor Miter, in rhetoric and oratory, and of Professor Campbell, in botany. Dr. Douglas Houghton Campbell, of Detroit, has lately been elected to the chair of botany in the Indiana University. Dr. Campbell is a graduate of the University of Michigan. For the past two years he has pursued advanced studies under Stresaburger, Pfeiffer and others in the universities of Berlin and Bonn. He is the author of numerous botanical papers in English and German, the best known being a study of the development of the "Ostrich Fern," a paper which received the Walker prize of \$100 in Boston. Dr. Campbell's success in staining the nucleus in living plant cells, a thing hitherto deemed impossible, has attracted the attention of botauists throughout the world. Dr. Campbell is about thirty years of age, an experienced teacher, having had for some time charge of the high. The ears are ten and a half feet from the I biological work in the Detroit High-school.

THE ENGINEER'S ACCOUNT

A Railroad Wreck, and His Very Narrow Escape.

Picked Up for Dead, Cut and Bruised Fearfully-The Accident on the

L, D. & W. "How soon events of even more than ordinary

interest are forgotten," said Mr. J. W. Schandorf, during a recent conversation with the writer. "Now I will venture to say not twenty-five people in this city remember an accident which happened eight years ago, which was of more than ordinary interest to me and a few others I know, for in it we nearly lost our lives. "I see you are interested now. Well, it was

to listen I will tell you of it. "I remember it distinctly. It was two weeks before Christmas, eight years ago. I was firing on No. 14, on the L. D. & W., and was called to

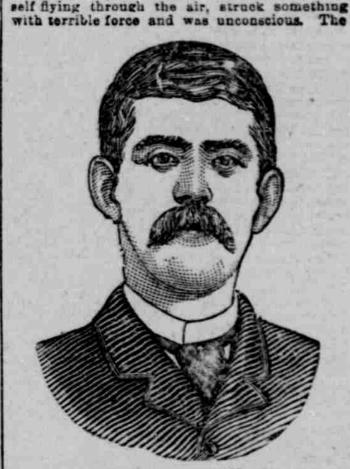
only a freight wreck,' a thing which happens

every day, I think you will say. But if you care

"The morning was a cold one. There was ice and sleet on the ground half an inch thick. Our train was made up and we started off bowling along merrily over the

ICY, SLIPPERY TRACK. Every moment going faster until we reached speed of sixty miles an hour. We were nearing North Salem, about twenty-seven miles west of Indianapolis. I was standing in the gangway,

when suddenly I feit a shock and then I felt my-



ENGINEER SCHANDORF, 1052 WASH. ST. engine, as I learned afterward, had run into a misplaced switch and plowed its way through three box-cars before it was brought to a stand-

"I was picked up for dead. My head was cut frightfully and my left leg broken. I was taken home and for six months I lay in bed. You can see for yourself where my head was cut open. Showing two ugly-looking scars running nearly the whole length of his head.

"Twelve years ago I had another experience which I will tell you about, which gave me as much uneasiness as the wreck I just described. "It was like this. Twelve years aco, as near as I can remember, I had typhoid fever. I recovered from that, but found I did not feel as well as I did before my sickness. I would

FREQUENT HEADACHES. My eyes grew weak and would water easily. My hearing grew bad. My nose bled easily. I would catch cold on the slightest exposure. This thing continued growing worse, and as years went by I tried various means of gaining relief, but my trouble kept constantly growing worse. My nose was stopped up, first on one side, then on the other. My breathing was

LABORED AND DIFFICULT, I hawked and spit up quantites of green and yellowish slime or mucus, which kept droping into my throat. I could not sleep well at night and always awoke tired and unrefreshed with a bad taste in my mouth. My appetite was poor. I could cat scarcely anything at all. I had a sense of oppression on my chest, as if some one was standing on it. I would get tired easily and my limbs felt weak and sore. If I would

walk any distance I would "I grew despondent and gloomy, imagined a great many things and was quite miserable. My head bothered me now incessantly. I was hardly ever free from an aching pain there. A friend of mine had been treated and cured by Dr. Franklyn Blair, at No. 203 North Illinois street, so I thought I would try him. I did so and commenced to improve at once, and now my appetite is first-class. I sleep well, I hear well and feel better than I have for years; in fact I feel like a new man. Mr. Schandorf is a thrifty, industrious gentleman. A portrait of him accompanies this sketch. He lives at No. 1052 West Washington street, where he may be found and this

statement verified. In Simple Form. AN ZASY KYPLANATION OF MATTER USUALLY VEILED IN TECHNICALITIES. In this connection there can hardly be a more interesting subject than the ultimate effect of catarrh upon the bearing. The process of this disease is poisoning the breath, rotting away

the delicate machinery of smell and taste, poisoning the loags and blood and passing into the stomach, enfeebling the digestion, vitiating the secretions and polinting the very fountains of life; all this has perhaps been very generally discussed; but the very frequent effect of catarrh of the nose and throat upon the hearing has not been touched upon as often as the subject war-A very little study of anatomy will show the reader that the junction of the back passage of the nose and the upper parts of the throat is connected with the ear by a minute

and delicate passage known as the Eustschian tube. Along this tube the catarrhal process extends, producing congestion and inflammation. By the further extension of this process to the mucous lining of the tympanum of the ear is caused in some cases slight forms of catarrh in the middle ear, and in this way partial or complete deafness is produced. Partial or complete deafness may in like man-ner result from the swollen, thickened tissue encroaching upon the mouth of the Eustachian

Partial or complete deafness may result from catarrhal interference with the nasal breathing, depriving the ear of a proper supply of pure air, or from the effects of obstruction in the nasal passages, causing undue rarification or condensation of the air in the middle ear. In such cases as these, general remedies, which are often prescribed, prove comparatively

ineffective. A cure can only be obtained by skillful and scientific local treatment-and let it be said here that nothing could be attended with more disastrous result than unskillful local treatment-combined with constitutional treatment and care for the disease which brought about the trouble to the hearing. "Early last October," writes Mr. Jacob Karschbaum of Middletown, O., "I wrote to Dr. Blair, asking if he could treat me by mail. He wrote back, telling me to describe my case as best I could and say all I could about my symptoms and condition. I did so, and put mysel under his care. I was completely run down. had a choking feeling in my throat. I felt so tired and weak that I could hardly stand up. My tongue was coated, and I would have a had taste in the morning and a pain in the small of my back. My nose would stop up, and I would have a dull pain in my forebead. Dr. Blair treated me regularly by mail, and I improved from the start. The disagreeable symptoms of

will ever return." DOCTOR FRANKLYN BLAIR

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